

LOCAL ITEMS

WEATHER REPORT

OHIO—Showers this afternoon and tonight; Saturday partly cloudy; cooler Saturday.

Lieutenant John Baldner, who has been enjoying a two weeks furlough in this city, started Friday morning for Garden City, L. I., where he expects to be given his discharge from the aviation service. While in the east he will visit Sergeant Schuyler McClellan who is stationed at Fox Hill base hospital, Staten Island.

GET IT AT DONGES.

Mrs. and Mrs. Bernard Shaw of the Bellbrook pike are announcing the birth of a fine baby girl, born Friday.

Automobile and accessory dealers of Clinton county effected an organization at a meeting held Wednesday night in the Odd Fellows Hall, Wilmington at which time a banquet was served by Rebekans. There were 47 charter members present at the meeting. Carl Bangham, manager of the Wilmington Auto Co., was elected president and H. D. Pennington, Buick salesman was named secretary-treasurer.

No rehearsal of Trinity choir this week.

Ladies' latest style brown or patent Oxfords, \$4.50 at Sanz's. adv-5-16

There is a very interesting piece of art work on display in the window of D. D. Jones, the Druggist on East Main street. The idea is original, if that the more you study this painting the more you will see in it. So don't fail to go take a look at this rare bit of art and use your eyes and see all the beauty and the hidden message in it. The composer of the song, hit of the season, also is an artist and was the originator of this picture.

Buy work shoes of Sanz and get the best. adv-5-16

The estate of the late Martin Kline of Bath township, is valued at \$123, 54.68 according to the inventory and appraisement which has been filed in probate court. Included in the estate are liberty bonds worth \$20,000. Two appraisers were J. D. Hower, J. C. Wolf and Daniel Lanigan.

Harry Pritchard and Ray Beekman are local boys who were with the 308th ammunition train, who arrived to four times a day and in a short time your weight is reduced on all parts of the body to what it should be. adv. charged at Camp Sherman.

To Reduce Your Weight Quickly and Easily

If you are too fat, or if your figure has become flabby and you are carrying around a burden of annoying unhealthy flesh, the cause is, ten chances to one, the result of a carelessness of the blood and faulty assimilation of the food. Too little of the food is being made into good hard tissue and muscle and too much into little globules of fat.

Every man and woman reader of this paper who is too fat when flesh is soft and flabby should try the new preparation, Phenola, a simple but remarkably efficient formula put up for convenient home use.

Go to Sayre & Hemphill today and get one of their wonderful Phenola tablets; take one after each meal and at bed time. They are pleasant to take, entirely safe and give splendid results quickly and easily. No dieting, strenuous exercising, drastic macerating or applying various medicines.

Try them four times a day and in a short time your weight is reduced on all parts of the body to what it should be. adv. charged at Camp Sherman.

Berries! Berries! Berries!

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Plenty of fresh green beans and peas, cucumbers, nice asparagus, new potatoes, onions and radishes.

All kinds of Apples—Baldwin, Russets, Pippins, Winesaps.

Oranges, all sizes, from 20c dozen and up.

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Fine large Bananas.

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Factory samples. All kinds and all sizes. PONY MAKE.
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\$10.50 Suits for	\$7.49
\$9.00 Suits for	\$6.49
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\$7.50 Suits for	\$4.98
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Men's fine Suits \$12.48, \$16.50, \$18.50, \$22.50

This is your chance.

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BOY SENT TO THE REFORMATORY FOR STEALING CHICKENS

All enlisted stewards of First M. E. and Trinity churches for the Centenary celebration kindly call Saturday at George Dodds & Sons office on West Main St., for your copy of students book. Chas. A. Bone, Marshal of Enlistment.

Mrs. George Moore, editor, Miss Hazel Flagg, Treas., Woman's Misionary Magazine leave today for Cambridge, Ohio, to attend the thirty sixth annual convention of the W.C.M.S. General Missionary Society of the U. P. church. Also Mrs. Harriet Collier and daughter, Miss Mabel, Mrs. Mary Collins, Mrs. Walter Dean and daughter, of Xenia, Ohio, and Miss Snyder of Sugarcreek. The reports promise this to be the greatest convention ever held, session commencing Friday night, extending through Tuesday night.

The paving plan being projected for the city of Xenia, its causes, purpose and advantages, were explained to an assembly of East End residents in the Third Baptist church Thursday night. After speaking to the assembly Mr. Riddle asked for an open discussion and he answered many questions put to him by the residents present. The meeting was a very satisfactory one.

The meeting of the Boy Scouts tonight will be postponed till Monday night.

L. F. Clevenger, local candy maker has rented the Davidson room on Green street, formerly occupied by the Nagley undertaking establishment and will move into it soon. Mr. Clevenger is at present selling his candy in the Sayre & Hemphill drug store.

Children of Mr. and Mrs. Cassius Hilliard of North Miami avenue, arranged a surprise dinner party in honor of Mr. Hilliard's birth anniversary at noon Thursday. The dinner was served at the Hilliard home, where, the children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Hilliard gathered and enjoyed a very happy time with them.

Chief Justice Nichols of the Ohio Supreme Court has been secured to deliver the address to the graduates at the commencement of the O. S. and S. O. Home schools which will take place June 18.

Thomas D. Phelps has been granted a decree of divorce from Anna Phelps on the grounds of wilful absence. The decree divests the defendant of dower in real estate owned by the plaintiff.

By the will of Samuel T. Pidgeon which was admitted to probate yesterday, all his estate is left to his wife during her lifetime, and is to be divided among the children after her death. Mrs. Pidgeon was made executor.

The Roaming Bee.
According to a scientist if a bee finds a suitable patch of flowers by following a zigzag course it will seek it again by the same devious route, and not in a straight line from the nest. Certain bees coming to visit a hollyhock always came over the wall 25 yards to one side instead of directly opposite.

JURY IS READY IN FORD CASE

Mr. Clemens, Mich., May 16—Twelve men were in the jury box approved by both sides in the case and the trial of Henry Ford's law suit for one million dollars, against the Chicago Tribune, was on at the morning session to day.

After four days of vigorous questioning of jurors, the counsel of both sides late yesterday unexpectedly gave their approval to the 12 men that will decide the case.

PUT OUT A GARDEN

Last year garden truck of a total value of \$25,000,000 was produced in the United States. While that establishes a record, it is one that easily can be broken this year, with very small degree of effort. Last year there were 5,000,000 garden plots in the United States; another million could be added to that number in 1919, without strain.

There is quite as much reason for growing truck this year as last; in fact the same reason exists now as then. Vegetables of every kind are still high. The coming of peace has not lowered the price, nor is it likely to do so for many months. The thrifty individual who finds a vacant lot and obtains permission to establish a summer garden there will profit immensely from his foresight. He will be surprised at the end of the year how many dollars he has saved. If you have an opportunity to put out a garden, don't let it pass. Gardening is one way that everyone can help tremendously to cut down the high cost of living.—Dayton Herald.

Consequently attend the Fair Sale of lots, Saturday, and buy and plant a lot.

CANT DODGE TAX.

New York, May 16.—You can't dodge the soda tax even by quaffing your beverage outside the drug store doors, ruled the revenue collector when the soda fiends took to the sidewalks to save their pennies.

URGE GERMANS TO SIGN.

Copenhagen, May 16—German merchants and other Germans of practical affairs are urging the Berlin government to sign the treaty, as the only way to end the present stagnation, said a dispatch from Berlin today.

George Herros, who was overseas for a year, and at the front for three months, has returned to Xenia, having received his discharge from the army at Camp Sherman. He was a member of the 308th Ammunition Train, the outfit with which Elbert Babb was connected. Mr. Herros was before his enlistment, employed at the Candy Kitchen.

LAUGHED AT OWN CARICATURE

Charles Dickens Has Been Called Vain, but This Story Seems to Prove Otherwise.

The reproduction of a very rare caricature portrait of Dickens appeared in a recent number of Dickensian. William Miller was the author of the portrait, which was advertised for in vain by F. G. Kitton, more than twenty years ago, for insertion in his book, "Charles Dickens by Pen and Pencil," says Christian Science Monitor. Dickens first saw the portrait in question when walking along Piccadilly with Disraeli one day. He was vastly amused, and, entering the shop, bought several copies, one of which was sent to the Hon. Mrs. Richard Watson at Rockingham. In a letter written from Gad's Hill place he says: "I hope you may have seen a large-headed photograph with little legs representing the undersigned. It has just sprung up so abundantly in all the shops that I am ashamed to go about town looking in at the picture windows, which is my delight. It seems to be extraordinarily ludicrous and a better likeness than the portrait done in earnest. It made me laugh when I first came upon it, until I shook again in open, sunlit Piccadilly."

Forbidden Fruit.
"It's odd," remarked a woman, "how the dullest of women's luncheons—and oh! how dull they can be!—will suddenly take a turn for the better when some one broaches a bit of gossip. It puts new life into everything."

Daily Thought.

"There is no man so good, who were to submit all his thoughts and actions to the law, would not deserve hangin' ten times in his life."—Monroe.

The Right Laxative For The Little Ones--

The natural condition of a child is to be happy and carefree. When the girl mopes and is indifferent to school and study, or the boy is sullen and refuses to go out and play, the child needs a laxative to empty the bowels and stir up the liver.

But something should be given that will produce the result in as simple and natural a way as possible. Harsh cathartics and purgatives are neither necessary nor desirable.

Many mothers have found that the combination of simple laxative herbs with pepsin sold by druggists under the name of Dr.

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The Perfect Laxative

PRICE AS ALWAYS

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Bell Phone 310-W
Citizen's Phone 362

Nice can pumpkin, can	10c
Seeded raisins, box	10c
Dried peaches, pound	20c
Prunes, pound	15c
Fancy table apricots, large can	25c
Old Reliable coffee, pound	39c
Mrs. Rorer's coffee, pound	37c
Golden Sun coffee, pound	37c
Daisy, steel cut coffee, pound	30c
1.0 pounds granulated sugar, for	98c
2 cans tomatoes for	25c
Fancy sweet corn, can	14c
Fancy can peas, can	15c
Lima beans, can	10c
Red beans, can	10c
Soup beans, pound	25c
Red marrowfat beans, 3 pounds	25c
Pinto beans, 4 pounds	25c
Lima beans, 2 pounds	25c
Rice, fancy, 2 pounds	25c
Campbell's pork and beans, can	15c
Van Camp's pork and beans, can	15c
Mixed vegetables, can	15c
Scotch Pearl barley, 2 boxes	25c
A good lard substitute, pound	29c
Clean Easy soap, bar	.5c
1-2 gallon white Karo syrup	48c
1-2 gallon Pennant, maple flavor syrup	50c
Matches, box	.5c
Salt, sack	4c
Apple butter, large jar	14c
Jam, different flavors, glass	14c
Liquid Veneer, furniture polish, bottle	20c
Ladies and gents 25c black hose, pair	15c
No. 1 and No. 2 lamp chimneys, each	10c
Tomato Pulp, can	.9c
10c box macaroni, spaghetti and noodles, 3 for	25c
Grand Ma's washing powder, 2 for	.9c
Grape nuts, puffed wheat and puffed rice, box	14c
Oleomargarine, pound	37c
Creamery butter	60c
Krug's Butternut and Springfield Mity Nice bread, loaf	.9c
A good Xenia made bread, 3 loaves	25c
Krug's Thrift bread, 2 loaves	15c
Mops, each	45c
Gag mantles, upright and inverted, each	10c
Fresh country eggs, dozen	43c
Fancy oranges, bananas, lettuce and radishes, fancy potatoes:	

The place to get your money's worth.
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EAST END NEWS

Everyday Etiquette

The X. X. C. C. will meet with Mrs. Bertha Booth Monday evening, May 19th, at 7:30 sharp.

L. J. Payne, Pres., Mrs. John Jackson and daughter and Mrs. Lula McKinney, all of Cedarville, are visiting Mrs. Anna P. Wilson and family. Mrs. Jackson is a sister to Mrs. Wilson.

It was a sumptuous and altogether unusual affair at which Miss Cudellis Hunter, of East Market street, was hostess on Thursday afternoon. Thursday was the regular meeting of the neighborhood Embroidery Club but it turned out to be a pre-nuptial musical and kitchen shower, complimenting Mrs. Florence Evans Robinson, a bride of only a few weeks. A feature which added much splendor and amusement to the occasion was a mock wedding, the marriage ceremony being performed by Mrs. Virgin Williams. Following a three course luncheon served in magnificent style Mrs. Robinson was presented with a shower of household articles which were both useful and pretty. Assisting Miss Hunter in making a pleasant afternoon was her daughter, Miss Emilie Harper Pitts and Mrs. Nannie Matthews.

FRECKLES

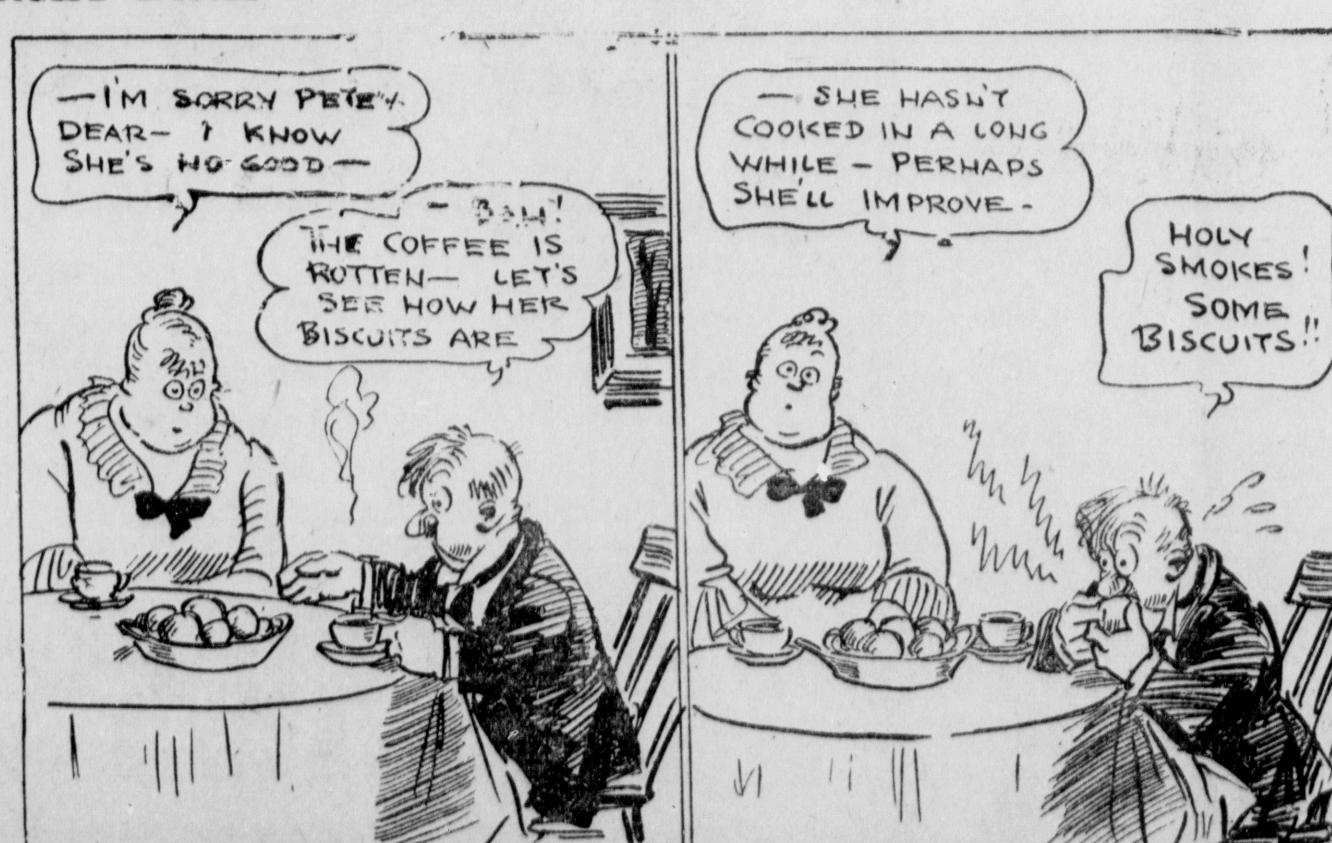
Now is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots.

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as Othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of Othine—double strength—from any druggist and apply a little of it night and morning and you should see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than an ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful, clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength Othine as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.

PETEY DINK



NAVY FLIERS ARE CONFIDENT THEY WILL BE FIRST TO CROSS ATLANTIC BY SKY ROUTE



Three members of the crews of the N.C. seaplanes which are to attempt the ocean flight. Left to right: Lieut. Com. B.N. L. Bellinger, commanding officer of the N.C. 3; Lieut. Com. M. A. Mitscher, pilot of the same plane, and Lieut. L. T. Barin, second pilot.

The fliers selected by the U.S. navy officials to guide the N.C. seaplanes across the Atlantic are confident they will beat the English and French entries in the race. It is not a boastful confidence, but rather of a determined nature. They have faith in the giant planes and their fellow fliers in the attempt.

FORCES MOBILIZE FOR SALVATION ARMY CAMPAIGN

Campaign officials for the Salvation Army \$13,000,000 fund are mobilizing for the campaign, which will take place May 19 to 26.

The campaign is to mark the passing of the time honored tambourine which will not be used in the future and the money subscribed at this time will be used both overseas and in this country. The Salvation Army lassie with her hot coffee and doughnuts made such an appeal to the heart of the American doughboy in France that it is assured that this campaign will not fail to make an appeal to his pocket book.

The campaign slogan "A man may be down, but he's never out," furnished Frederick Duncan, celebrated artist, the theme for an effective lithograph which is being used over the country in advertising the campaign.

The quota for Greene county is \$5,000 and no worther cause for liberal giving has yet appealed to the heart and purse strings of the people. Generous hearted Greene county will undoubtedly go over the top again in the interests of the Salvation Army.

To Get Rid of Roaches
The United States department of agriculture considers ridding a house of roaches important enough to give instructions how to accomplish this. Mix equal parts of sodium fluoride and flour (or starch). Use like ordinary roach powders, forcing it into crevices, sprinkling it around drain pipes, etc.

Mentioned in the Bible.
Biblical mention is made of 19 different precious stones, 6 metals, 104 trees and plants, 35 animals, 39 birds, 6 fishes, 11 reptiles, 20 insects and other smaller creatures.

Storage Battery SERVICE STATION

Recharging, Repairing, and a complete line of rentals. New batteries in stock.

Central Garage and Central Taxi.

BOTH PHONES

HUBBARD'S Specials for Saturday

Fancy beef roasts	25c	Pure bulk	28c
Fancy beef boil	22c	Pork sausage casing	30c
Fancy Chuck steaks	26c	Fresh side	36c
Little pig pork chops	35c	FANCY VEAL	

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FAMILY DINNER AT HUTCHISON HOME

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hutchison entertained a little family party at dinner at noon Friday at their home on Washington street, in honor of Mrs. Hutchison's eightieth birth anniversary. The anniversary was remembered by relatives and friends of Mrs. Hutchison, and she received flowers and messages of felicitation upon her natal day. She was also surprised by the receipt of five large birthday cakes which were sent by nieces living in Indiana, and by other gifts of remembrance.

Those who enjoyed dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Hutchison were: Mrs. James Davidson, of Muncie, Ind.; Misses Nannie and Ella McClellan, Mrs. Chas McClellan, Misses Emma, Zetta and Margaret McClellan, Mrs. Adda Torrence and Miss Emma Hutchison.

ORPHIUM TO-NIGHT

"SECRET MARRIAGE"

Triangle 5 reel drama featuring "MARY MacLAREN" and an all star cast. A story of sensational adventure of a girl who was locked out for a night.

"PATHE NEWS."

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This beef was selected by our buyer for this special sale.

Best beef roasts, lb. .25c
Best Boil beef, lb. .22c

Fancy chuck beef steaks
pound .27c

FANCY VEAL

Round steak	.40c
Fancy chops	.33c
Veal stew	.25c

Pure bulk .28c
Pork casing .30c
Cottage hams (whole) .39c
Smoked Jowl .30c

Cheese

Fancy longhorn, fancy brick, fancy limberger, fancy Raisford, fancy pimento, fancy cottage.

Smoked sausage, wiener-bologna .25c

SPRING LAMB

First of the Season
Leg of lamb, lb. .50c
Lamb chops, lb. .50c
Lamb stew .30c

Smoked Meats

CLOVERLEAF BRAND

Little pig hams, selected
pound .36c

Luncheon Meats

CLOVERLEAF BRAND

Minced ham, pressed ham,
boiled ham, dried beef, corned beef, sliced cold tongue,
Lebenon dry sausage.

Pickled corned beef, pickled
pigs feet, pickled ox lips,
pickled tripe (honey combed),
pickled pig snouts, hog chitlings.

Calf Liver

Fresh Young
Chickens
Country Eggs
Creamery Butter

Home Baked Goods

Baked beans, macaroni and
cheese, mayonnaise dressing,
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A full line of high grade canned goods, dried fish, salmon, table sauces. These goods are the highest grade on the market and are priced at a few cents under regular selling price.

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By Carrier, Per Week, 12c.
Per Single Copy, 3c.**"THE TERMS ARE UNACCEPTABLE"—WILL THEY SIGN?**

The declaration by Chancellor Scheidemann in the National Assembly at Berlin, Tuesday, that the peace terms were "unacceptable" brought the members of the assembly, the spectators and those in the press gallery to their feet in a hurricane of cheers and applause.

"The terms are unacceptable," Well, of course. Whoever heard of a murderer, after sentence, but thought "the terms unacceptable?" Whoever heard of a criminal, of low degree or high degree, after sentence, but thought "the terms unacceptable?" And these criminals are the worst whose crimes blacken the annals of the world. By rights they should take their medicine without a whimper, and be glad they are alive, instead of complaining that the terms are unacceptable.

Just see how much they have to be thankful for. While they have wrought murder and devastation on the fair lands of their peaceful neighbors for four years, their own country has stood and today stands in all its beauty and the peaceful occupations and shameful frivolities have gone on as usual. And instead of regarding themselves as criminals, they strut boastfully, shamelessly as if they were the victors. We do not have to take the outside evidence of this, we have the word of one of their own prominent citizens.

Maximilian Harden, editor of the Berlin die Zukunft, writing on the peace treaty, says:

"The peace conditions are not harder than I expected. They were unpleasant to the greater part of the people. But could one really have expected them otherwise?

The Germans have not given very convincing mental guarantees during the six months since the revolution that they have changed their system; on the contrary, the present government and the press have used the same methods of incitement, the same tricks of bluff as under the old rule of the petty nobility.

The government's proclamations and speeches are only bad copies of the kaiser's time. The whole press resounds in protests and has started a campaign of incitement against the Allies, couched in violent language. It is agitating for refusal to sign the treaty; and to what use? All must know that the Allies, by keeping up the blockade and occupying the coal districts, can force Germany to sign whatever they want."

Now these criminals want a "soft" peace. To make the way of the Germans to the peace table plainer it should be only necessary to publish the peace terms which they had decided upon in 1917-1918, when they thought they were winning the war. These terms, in outline, were already agreed upon and were known to the German statesmen, Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau, their confidant of the kaiser, being, undoubtedly, one of these. We know from the repeated sayings of the kaiser that it was not to be a "soft" peace, and the "mailed fist" and the shining sword were present in it.

The armistice has been a long one, six months, and those German agents at Versailles had better hurry up. The Allies are getting impatient. They feel like saying, as Gen. Grant did at Ft. Donaldson, "No terms other than an unconditional and immediate surrender can be accepted. I propose to move immediately upon your works."

Wonder of Plant Life.
A species of the acacia tree attains a height of about eight feet. When full grown it closes its leaves together in coils each day at sunset. Thus setted it will flutter violently if touched, and if the branches are shaken the tree will emit a nauseating odor. The natives call it the "angry tree."

Art for Art's Sake.
"The desideratum of things artistic" mused the guy with the temperament, "would be a wedding between the girl on the front page of a current magazine and the fellow on the collar advertisement."

DEVASTATED EUROPE
WANTS OUR FARM
PRODUCTS.

General expansion in business in the great agricultural territory of the Middle West and Southwest is expected to follow the inauguration of peace in Europe. These expectations are not based merely on gossip or the feeling that Europe needs more of the products which this territory promises to produce this year in great abundance, but on actual inquiries from abroad and the placing of initial peace-time orders.

Pork and grain and grain products probably will share in the greatest trade growth with the signing of the peace treaties. Prior to the war Germany and her allies were the principal importers of pork products from the United States. While they are now receiving some American pork, thousands of tons of it monthly through Mr. Hoover, packers are confident this trade will increase sharply when direct buying by the central countries is again permitted. As for grain and its products, the Scandinavian countries and Holland have sent letter after letter to mill interests of Kansas City and the Southwest pleading for a reopening of direct business and offering to pay high prices. It is not uncommon for millers to receive letters from these countries proposing immediate payment in New York if they will only supply flour and grain, the former especially.

Already a Kansas breeder is filling an order for 10,000 breeding cows to be shipped to France and Belgium to restock the depleted herds. The United States has an advantage in this cattle business over the great cattle-producing countries of South America as the herds here are healthy, while the Brazilian and Argentine cattle suffer from diseases.

GROW FAR ABOVE SEA LEVEL

Cedars Flourish in Full Vigor at Altitudes Surpassing Height of Most Mountain Peaks.

Eleven thousand one hundred feet altitude above sea level is some distance above the clouds for the habitat of a species of a great tree which attains a circumference of 16 and even 18 feet. The tree is the western mountain cedar, and it is found growing in full vigor at elevations of from 8,000 to over 11,000 feet in the southern portion of the Sierra Nevada and where this huge mountain chain merges over into the Sierra Madre, running down into Mexico. In most of the mountain regions of the United States 11,000 feet is at or above timber line, but in these southern Sierras are many genial high valleys and pockets where huge trees are found at altitudes which surpass the height of most mountain peaks. The snow covers the peaks and slopes for a great portion of the year, but with the earliest melting the trees start growing and in the case of the mountain cedars make an even greater annual growth than many of the lowland trees where the want of water compels a short growing season. These huge mountain cedars are close cousins to the great cedars of Lebanon from the timbers of which the temple at Jerusalem was built. The American cedars, however, are more upright in growth than the cedars of the Old World.

Educational Problems in India.

The Girls' school at Katra, Allahabad, can accommodate but few Hindu girls in the boarding department because of the difficulty of caste. One Brahman girl who was very anxious to enter the school had to be refused because she could not do her own cooking and take the full course, and she could not because of caste regulations eat at the clubs with the Christian girls. A woman was found who would cook for her, but this woman refused to wash the dishes, because to do so would make her ceremonially unclean. A second woman said she would wash the dishes, but she couldn't cook for the Brahman girl because she was of such a low caste that the girl would not eat her cooking. As it was impossible to take in two extra women besides the girl she had to be refused.—The Continent.

Daily Thought.
Thank God, I also am an American.—Daniel Webster.

Sis says I'm too particular, but she agrees with me—there's no corn flakes like

**POST
TOASTIES**
Bobby

THE PROMOTER'S
WIFE

BY JANE PHELPS.

NEIL'S AUNT BECOMES INQUISITIVE.

CHAPTER LXXXIX.

I could see that Neil was terribly put out, although he made no reply when Frederick said he "would have to count him out." I also noticed that Mrs. Carter had heard the remark, and had glanced sharply at Neil, as if to probe the meaning of what she did not understand.

I tried to talk naturally, and Frederick immediately followed my lead. Then Neil pulled himself together, and the remainder of the luncheon passed off pleasantly. Aunt and I left as soon as we finished, leaving the two men smoking. I had proposed going so that they might talk business if they wished. I wanted Frederick to believe in Neil, I couldn't help but wish he would go in with Neil on some of his deals. I was sure it would be a help to my husband in every way if only he could be associated with a man so bluntly honorable in every way as was Kendall Frederick.

"What did Mr. Frederick mean when he said that he wouldn't go in with those men Neil mentioned? What kind of men are they?"

"I do not know them, aunt, I never have met either of them." I was glad to be able to say so honestly.

"But surely, Neil talks of his affairs to you. You must know if his associates are all right."

"No—Neil tells very little of his business affairs at home. He says the office is the place for business, not the home."

"In a sense he is right, yet often a woman's intuition is a help to a man. I rather liked that Mr. Frederick, what do you know of him?"

"Oh, we have known him a long time! He is always just as you saw him today. A plain, blunt man, but straightforward and honest. He is very wealthy, and I can't help wishing he would become interested with Neil. He is older and would be a good influence," I added knowing aunt would wonder why I was so anxious.

"But—you speak Bab as if Neil needed some good influence. You aren't worried over anything in connection with him, are you?"

"No aunt—that is not particularly. Yet he is in such big things for a man as young as he is. You must know that by what he has accomplished since we have been married. I don't believe there's another man his age in all New York who has made his money, not inherited it, that has done so well. You see if one inherits money they always have capital, but Neil had nothing, just a few hundred dollars he had saved."

"Yes, he HAS done wonders. But he was always very bright. His mother was a very clever woman. He inherits many of her traits, "pride of family in her voice."

I tried to change the subject by talking of the different places of interest we passed, but something seemed to have aroused aunt's suspicion that everything was not quite all right for she returned again to the subject of Neil's business, and asked me many questions, some of which I could not answer, others which I did not care to.

"Have you visited Neil's new office? He was telling me he had lately taken a more commodious one?" she questioned.

Yet, I have been there once. I do not go often, there is no reason

why I should," I replied, blushing to think of what had occurred because of my visit.

"I should like to stop and see it if you have time."

"Certainly. We can stop off, then walk up the avenue to the theatre. We shall have plenty of time." We were going to matinee.

When we reached the office the blonde stenographer was so frankly surprised to see us that she amused me immensely. I told her she could go right on with her work, that we had no wish to interrupt her, and that we would look around by ourselves. She had risen as if to accompany us, when I said to aunt that we would go into Neil's private office. Fortunately, he had not locked the door when he left.

"This IS sumptuous!" Aunt exclaimed, seating herself in one of the large leather chairs, while I took the swivel one at the desk. I had caught a glimpse of an envelope addressed in bold and fashionable chirography. Perhaps I might happen on to something I wanted to know.

"Yes, Neil has very good taste," I replied, quietly drawing the envelope toward me as I spoke of the fine view from the windows.

TOMORROW—Bab Appropriates a Letter She Sees Upon Neil's Office Desk.

TOO GOOD A THING
TO LOSE, SAYS WIFE

Nerv-Worth Banished Rheumatism That An Attack of the "Flu" Had Made Worse

In making the following enthusiastic statement, Mr. Hoyle carried out his desire to permit publication to do all the good it could for fellow sufferers. He expressly says so:

"Had been troubled for several years with rheumatism and after a severe attack of the "flu" it became worse. In addition I was nervous, irritable and generally run down. I couldn't sleep well and was out of fix all around. Life was miserable. I tried Nerv-Worth and after just one bottle I feel like a different man. My rheumatism no longer bothers me. I sleep well and eat heartily and am fast returning to my former vigorousness. I WOULD NOT BE WITHOUT NERV-WORTH IN MY HOME. It has done me marvelous good. I want others to know it. It has real merit

CHAS. H. HOYLE,
Spring Valley, O., R. F. D. 1.

Your dollar back if Nerv-Worth does not do for you what it did for Farmer Hoyle. Sayre & Hemphill's drug store sells Nerv-Worth in Xenia, W. F. Harper sells Nerv-Worth in Jamestown. adv

XENIA ALL-STARS TO INVADE FOREIGN FIELD

The Xenia All-Stars, Xenia's fast colored baseball team will invade a foreign field next Sunday afternoon when they journey to Dayton for a battle with the Dayton Red Sox at Westwood field.

Manager Lindsey of the Red Sox has been working rapidly since his acquisition of the club to build up the team and he has succeeded in welding together a combination worthy of competing with the best semi-pro clubs in this section. A large number of fans are expected to be present at the clash.

Life in Bermuda.

One feature of life in Bermuda which always impresses the stranger is the apparent prosperity of the natives, white and colored alike. Distressing poverty is unknown, and even the poorest families can boast of a stone house and a garden.

Music Has Charms to Soothe the Soul

It's the Music of Mating
In the birds and the bees.
It's the blending of Love
In the flowers and trees.
It's the Soul-mating of Lovers
As their hearts beat as one
That starts Musical Rhythm
And Life's dance is begun.

Now, no doubt you will say "What a queer way to advertise." Well, don't you see what we have been doing? We've been telling you the many different ways this song, "THAT'S THE WAY YOU WERE FASHIONED FOR ME," appeals to different people. Now go and buy a copy of this beautiful song and let us know how it appeals to you.

FOR SALE 25c A COPY BY
D. D. JONES, Druggist

**The Sweeper you've
been waiting for—**



TAKE the virtues of electric cleaners, add to them the convenience of ordinary carpet sweepers, remove the drawbacks of both and you have the new VACUETTE!

It picks up all dirt, lint, thread, hair and ravellings but requires no wires for electric connections. A strong suction lifts all dirt into the dust-bag, without spreading or dropping dust back on the floor. The wide low nozzle dives conveniently under heavy furniture. Strongly built and durable, yet light, (6 lbs.), a child can easily operate it.

Let us demonstrate the
VACUETTE to you today

**J.A. BEATTY AND SON
DEPENDABLE FURNITURE**

BRINGING-UP FATHER



SCENES IN TERRITORY WHICH ITALY DEMANDS



Market place in Fiume and American Red Cross motor truck guarded by mounted Italian soldier on road between Teodo and Cuttaro in Dalmatia. Harbor defense bombs can be seen guarded by Serbians.

Recent dispatches from Italy state that the Italian parliament gave Premier Orlando an overwhelming vote of confidence regarding his stand regarding the

disposition of Fiume by the peace conference. Only forty of the 422 voting dissented from his stand that the city must be awarded to Italy. The lower picture shows a

scene in the market place in the old half of Fiume. The city is divided into two sections, known as the new and old. The city has been in dispute many times.

learned of their son's marriage, and they are expecting him here next Sunday, with his bride, to pay them a visit.

Mr. Wead is a fireman on the Pennsylvania Railroad, with a run between Columbus and Cincinnati, and he and his bride will live in the former city. Mr. Wead served in the Marine Corps during the war.

The Eyeglass Glide. It was at a formal dancing party, and I was dancing with a young man who wore eyeglasses. I soon felt something cold slide down my back and my friend said, "Pardon me, my glasses have fallen down your back." Needless to say I escaped to the dressing room and had the glasses removed and returned to him.—Chicago Tribune.

Uncle Eben.

"De man dat's makin' life a little happier for some one else," said Uncle Eben, "is doin' a heap mo' dan de folks dat measures success by wearin' fine clothes and actin' bossy."

EXPLAINS DETAILS OF BOY SCOUT WEEK

In explaining the details of Boy Scout Week to be observed here June 6 to 11 Austin J. Black, chairman for Greene county, today said:

"We have six objectives, namely: To recognize the value of the Boy Scout movement and especially the achievements of the Boy Scouts nationally and locally during the war; to bring to the attention of the citizenship of each community the vital facts with reference to its boyhood; to interest churches, schools and other organizations which have a point of contact with boy life, so that there will be organized wherever possible, troops of Boy Scouts; to give returning soldiers opportunities to further serve their country by acting as scouts; to enroll as associate members those who believe in the Boy Scouts and are willing to help to have it extended to more boys by paying one dollar or more for membership; to raise funds for the maintenance of first class councils of Scouts.

Mr. F. B. Pearson, state superintendent of public instruction, is chairman of the Ohio committee in charge of the Boy Scout movement; other members being Governor James M. Cox, Senator Warren G. Harding, James W. Faulkner and H. W. Pearson.

The local organization will comprise committees on finance, publicity demonstrations, programs, extension and survey. State Chairman Pearson expressed the desire that this community reach its quota of associate members as quickly as possible. This county's quota is 327.

Weight of Ice.

A cubic foot of ice weighs .575 pounds, or 30 cubic inches weight almost exactly one pound. A good way to estimate the weight of a rectangular block of ice is to multiply together the depth, breadth and thickness in inches and divide the result by 30, the answer being given in pounds.

Get a Man-Size Job.

It is so easy to find fault that self-respecting persons ought to be ashamed to waste their energies in that way.—Boston Transcript.

MAIL CARRIERS AFTER FREE TRIPS ON LAKES

Ashland County Man Leads In War Savings Stamps Sales.

Columbus, O. —(Special)— Of all the 1,000 Ohio mail carriers, whose sales of War Savings Stamps in the Mackinac Island free trip contest are now totaling \$300,000 weekly, Arthur L. Vanesdale of Ashland this week stands foremost. According to official records in the offices of the Ohio War Savings Committee he has sold \$20,930 worth of War Savings Stamps. His closest rival is Joseph H. Stiers of Hamersville, Brown county, whose total sales have reached \$19,165.

Other carriers whose total War Savings Stamps sales are high are: William Lutz, Jeromeville; Walter Breese, Mt. Gilead; L. F. Bailer, Marion; Edward A. Kellar and William L. Schneider, Chillicothe; Arthur H. Flory, Wauseon, and James G. Cooper, Newark. Very exciting contests have developed in some of the counties, especially Ashland, Ross, Delaware, Guernsey, Hocking, Marion and Scioto.

Most everyone has expressed a desire at one time or another to do something for the mail carrier. In every county in Ohio, mail carriers now are contesting for a free trip over the Great Lakes. All expenses are to be paid by the Ohio War Savings committee. In the smaller counties one trip is offered and in the larger ones three. The Mackinac free trip contest enables Ohioans to kill two birds with one stone—to help the mail carrier get a much needed vacation and at the same time make an investment that can not depreciate in value. War Savings Stamps during the month of May are selling for \$4.16. Next month they will be higher. They never get lower.

Chinese Tea Houses.

Just as England has highway taverns and as we have roadside along our highways, so has China her tea houses. The Chinese do not indulge much in intoxicants, and tea is about the strongest drink they consume. Tea houses there are about as numerous as ice cream and soda resorts are here.

A 200-Foot Dive.

The greatest depth ever reached by a diver is said to be 204 feet. The greatest depth at which useful work has been done is 182 feet. Sponge and pearl divers, working without armor, frequently descend to depths of about 150 feet.



Ladies' and Gentlemen's Panama and Straw Hats

Cleaned, bleached and blocked in any shape and any size. We guarantee to make your hat look like new. Work done at our store, and we can have your hat ready for you in one day.

Xenia Hat Cleaning Shop

12 N. Detroit St., Xenia, O.

DEMAND MADE FOR 15 PER CENT INCREASE

Fall River, Mass., May 16.—A demand for an increase of 15 per cent in wages was made today on all textile manufacturers in the country by 600,000 operatives in the ranks of the United Textile Workers of America.

Announcement of the demand was made by President John Golden. The textile workers demand, he said, that the increase take effect May 26 and that it be binding until April 1, 1920.

Orders for the demand, Golden said, were received by mail today by all local unions affiliated with the United Textile Workers' organization. The National Association of Cotton Manufacturers was notified.

Bee Farming Has Future.

It is a fascinating business, that notwithstanding the fact that it dates back to prehistoric times, is even yet an infant industry. Which is to say, it is not one-fourth developed to the potential limit. There is an immense amount of honey wasted every year because there are not enough bees to gather it.

A REAL IRON TONIC

Like Peptiron May Be Just What You Need This Spring.

Probably nine people out of ten have lost or are losing their grip on health in these trying months of awful epidemics, exposure to damp, changeable weather, and association with sick people in overheated homes.

Depleted blood, loss of the red corpuscles, shattered nerves, loss of appetite, dull, dizzy feelings in the head, irritability, all loudly call for the real tonic strength and nourishment that Peptiron will give you. It is a wonderful corrective of anemic tendency, paleness, languor, nerve exhaustion.

Peptiron restores the red corpuscles to the blood and gives a natural vigor and snap that keeps up courage, makes you cheery and helpful to your family and friends, and contributes wonderfully to the health of all. Remember this one thing—as vitally, positively true—Peptiron is a real iron tonic.

WOMAN FINDS REMEDY WORTH FABULOUS FORTUNE

"I wouldn't take a million dollars for the good Mayr's Wonderful Remedy has done for me. I have finished the course and can say I am entirely cured of very severe indigestion, bloating and colic attacks I suffered for many years." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded.

Sayre and Hemphill and druggists everywhere.



"It's a Gift"

to be able to pick patterns like these, said a customer to our salesman. "I always like to linger longer 'round your shirt case." "YOUR TASTE IS GREAT"

We're awfully glad that someone has discovered this inborn talent of ours for it's too marked an accomplishment to hide under a bushel.

So here we go. It's a gift for us—great for you.

Our patterns are the American Beauties in a hot house where the gardener knows his business.

Manhattan Shirts in Madras—Percale and Silk \$4.00 to \$10.00

The Criterion

"A store for Dad and the Boys"

22 S. Detroit St., Xenia, Ohio.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND. Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichesters Diamond Brand Pills, boxes, made with Blue Willow. Take no other. But if you are taking any other, take Chicesters. DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for all years known as Best, Safest, All-ways Reliable. SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

MAYOR'S PROCLAMATION.

Notice is hereby given, as provided by law, that all places where intoxicating liquors are sold shall be closed and remain closed during the election day, May 20, 1919, and that no intoxicating liquors shall be sold or given away on said day.

Given under my hand and the corporate seal of the City of Xenia, Ohio, this 14th day of May, 1919.

ARTHUR WHALEN,
Mayor.

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TELEPHONE YOUR WANT ADS.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

COUNTY SELLS NEARLY QUARTER MORE THAN ITS QUOTA OF BONDS

Final figures compiled by the Victory Loan Committee indicate that Greene county purchased nearly one-quarter more than its quota of Victory Bonds.

To be exact, the county took 124.5 per cent of its quota of \$685,600, the total sales being \$854,350.

The Boy Scouts surpassed their

previous efforts in this campaign, selling \$18,700 worth of bonds. This beats their previous record by several thousand dollars. The boys sold bonds in each of the preceding campaigns and in each sale they beat their previous record.

The official figures of the result of

the campaign follow:

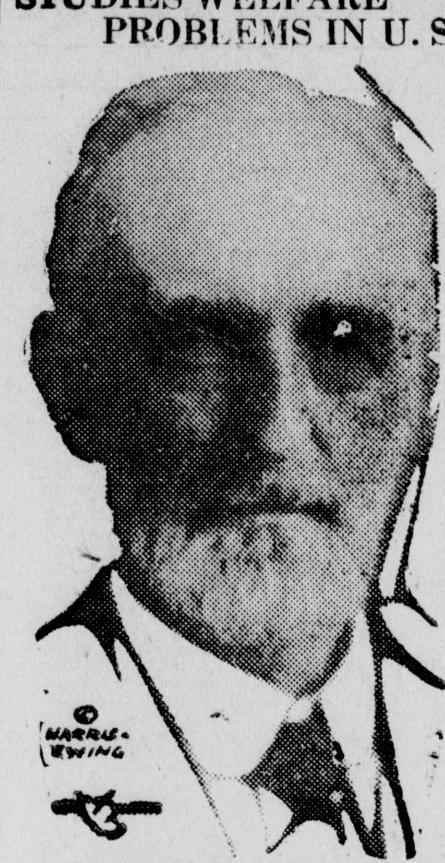
Number of Subscribers	Bank	Quota	Sales	Per Cent of Quota
215	Citizens National Bank	\$129,350	\$19,1900	148.6
100	Commercial & Savings Bank	75700	75700	100
240	Xenia National Bank	153,400	230,000	150
120	First National Bank	57750	59,900	103.7
80	Spring Valley National Bank	28,650	31,750	111
40	Peoples Bank	31,850	12,250	38.4
71	Farmers & Traders Bank	49,350	49,350	100
46	Bowersville Bank	37,900	38,350	101.2
133	Exchange Bank	71,900	75,000	104.3
76	Miami Deposit Bank	49,950	70,000	140
1121		625,800	834,550	121.7
245	Railroads		17800	
1	American Cigar Co.		2000	
1367		685,800	854,350	121.5

Pretty Soft-A?

Who remembers the old days when we got our toes pulverized standing in line for our granulated sugar permit?

Beef Suet Not Indispensable.

Norway has discovered that beef suet is not absolutely necessary to the manufacture of margarine. Cod liver oil, herring oil and other fish oils are said to be excellent substitutes.



Sir Arthur Newsholme, M. D.

Sir Arthur Newsholme, M. D., is at the head of a delegation of distinguished European personages who are now touring the U. S. to study child welfare and other social and industrial conditions. They are also attending a child welfare conference conducted in Washington by the department of labor. Sir Arthur has been instrumental in saving the lives of thousands of babies in England and is recognized internationally as an authority on the causes of infant mortality.

TAKE ADVANTAGE OF SENTRY

How South African Farmers Repel Invasion of Their Corn Fields by Bands of Baboons.

Apropos of a statement in the newspapers that the baboons in South Africa were easy victims of the Spanish "flu," very few people realize how human these animals are. They are very like men in some respects, observes a writer in London. Answers.

For instance, a troop of baboons—for it has been proved that they nearly always go about in large companies—always post a sentry. He is placed in some prominent position, so that he can give immediate warning in the event of any hostile attack.

The baboon's cry somewhat resembles a German "Hoch!" shouted through a megaphone, and it is possible to talk to them by means of it.

A baboon is said to be able to count up to two, and not beyond that; and as they come in large numbers and carry off the ripe mealies, steps have to be taken to repel them. And so, when the mealies get ripe, three men walk into the field with their guns and lie down.

After a time one of them gets up and goes out and the baboon sentry counts—one. Later on another goes out, and as the sentry only counted two men coming in, he concludes that there is nobod' left in the field and accordingly gives the signal, whereupon the whole troop swarms over the fence and begins to gather the corn. As soon as they are near enough the third man shoots them down with a repeating rifle, and if he is a fairly good shot their numbers are greatly diminished.

SUCCESSFUL WAR ON WEEVIL

Australian Grain Growers Used Poison Gas to Combat Deadly Enemy of Their Crops.

The weevil is a well-known curse to the grain-growing farmer. He is a member of a very large group, rejoining in the family name of curculionidae. There are some other members which live to spoil nuts, some which ravage apple orchards, while others make war upon clover and legumes generally. One variety is threatening the very existence of the cotton plantations of the southern states, another lives to make difficult—at times impossible—Egyptian agriculture. The weevil's eggs are laid in immature grains and the creature develops itself through the larva stage at their expense. Wherever grain is taken, the weevil goes along and so discovers new countries for its habitation. Everywhere it is at home, and grows with the growing grain. Australia has suffered, and its unsold grain accumulated through the war years, during which the length of the voyage made it impossible to obtain transportation to Europe, was found to deteriorate through its ravages. But our fellow citizens on the other side of the world are notoriously hard to beat, and set to work vigorously to war against these restless grubs. A leaf was taken from the German book, and the use of poison gas was resorted to with apparently deadly effect.

Friendship That Lasts.

Friendship is apt to creep away into some corner of the temple on whose shrine love has descended. This mild affection is but a twinkling taper that will burn steadily on, perhaps unseen amid the dazzling glory of love's supernatural lamp, to be found shining benignantly when the lamp is shattered.

Record Hallstorm.

The greatest hallstorm on record was in Europe in 1788. The biggest stones described as having then fallen were more than half a pound in weight.

EXTRA BARGAINS
At ENGILMAN'S
For Saturday and the Coming Week

Ladies and misses silk dresses at \$7.95, \$8.95, \$9.95, \$11.50 to \$14.75, great bargains.

Ladies foulard and silk poplin dresses, also voile wash dresses at \$3.45, \$3.95, \$4.95 and \$5.95.

Ladies coats, special mark down, at \$4.95, \$5.95, \$7.95 and \$9.95.

Our best quality ladies coats, capes and dolmans at \$11.50, \$13.50, \$14.50, \$19.75 to \$24.75 up to \$40.00 values.

Ladies silk and wool skirts at \$3.99, \$4.95, \$5.95 to \$7.95 up to \$12.00 values.

Ladies gingham and percale dresses at \$1.98, \$2.48, \$2.98, \$3.99 to \$4.95.

Ladies fine gauze vests, 35c quality at 25c.

Ladies 59c union suits at only 45c.

Mens union suits at 49c, 99c, \$1.24 to \$1.95.

Mens two piece underwear at 49c, 59c, and 75c each up to \$1.00 values.

Mens work shirts at 74c and 99c.

Mens and young mens suits at \$9.95, \$11.50, \$14.50, \$16.00 and \$18.00 up to \$25.00 values.

Mens pants at \$1.99, \$2.49, \$2.99, \$3.49, \$3.99 to \$4.99 up to \$7.00 values.

Boys suits in sizes 5 to 8 at \$3.99—\$4.45 including sizes up to 18 years at \$4.99, \$5.95, \$7.95 to \$8.95 up to \$12.50 values.

Mens hats at \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.95, \$2.45 up to \$3.50 values.

Mens caps at 49c, 74c, to 98c up to \$1.50 values.

Mens work or dress shoes at \$2.49, \$2.99, W. L. Douglas at \$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.00 and \$6.00.

Ladies shoes and one strap sandals at \$1.45, \$1.98, \$2.49, \$2.99, \$3.99, \$4.99 to \$5.95 up to \$7.00 values.

Just received a shipment of childrens welted soles, scout shoes, sizes 6 to 8, at \$2.07, size 8½ to 11 at \$2.49.

Ginghams, 12c, 16c, 22c, to 30c per yard.

Stripe and plaid galitea, 45c quality, at \$33c per yard.

Silk poplin, \$1.50 quality at \$1.19 per yard.

Fine quality voiles at 19c, 25c, 39c and 49c per yard.

Table linen at 59c, 64c, 84c and 89c per yard.

Toweling at 12½c, 19c and 25c per yard.

IT WILL PAY YOU TO TRADE AT ENGILMAN'S.

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SATURDAY

MATINEE AND NIGHT

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An Artacraft 5 reel comedy drama featuring Douglas Fairbanks, Theodore Roberts, Marjorie Daw, Frank Campeau, Raymond Hatton and other stars.

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HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Experienced colored girl, for general housework. Address box 1854, 5-17.

WANTED—Carpenters. Call 4035 R3 Bell. 5-17.

WANTED—Chambermaid, at Grand Hotel. 5-19.

WOMEN TO SEW—Goods sent prepaid to your door; plain sewing; steady work; no pay back. Send reply envelope for prices paid. Universal Co., Desk 7, Philadelphia, Pa. 5-17.

GOVERNMENT needs 4,000 clerks for census. \$100 month. Examination soon. Age requirements, 18 or over. For free particulars, write J. C. Leonard, (former Civil Service Examiner) 1323 Equitable bldg., Washington. 5-21.

WANTED—Man to cut grass. Bell 331-R. 5-17.

GIRL—For general housework, small family, steady job. 435 Oxford avenue, Dayton, Ohio. 5-19.

MISCELLANEOUS

CABBAGE, TOMATO and PANSY plant ready now. Engle Floral Co. Both phones. 5-17.

COAL now is the time to look for good coal, at cheap rates. Don't ask where, but find it here. City Ice and Coal Co., 313 Bell, 23-B Clt. 5-21.

Save \$100—Genco Light
The fully GUARANTEED farm lighting plant for less money. All installations made by expert contractors. Plant on display in our office. Fully guaranteed on request. This plant has a capacity unequalled by any other plant for the same price.

The Dalie Electric Co.
132 S. Limestone St.
Springfield, Ohio.
EVERYTHING ELECTRICAL.
Sole Agents for Clark and Greene Counties. 5-21.

DRAFT BREEDERS NOTICE—The Percheron stallion "Coxic" 107714, will make the season of 1919 at Oakland Farm, one mile from Fairmont, Pa. on Fairmount road. Terms, \$15 to insure living foal. James H. Hawks. If possible use phone—Bell 741-R. May 22.

NOTICE—Ready for dipping, furnishing everything. Warm water used, sc for ewes, sc for lambs. Address The Greene County Wool Cutter, 779 Home avenue. 5-24.

ATTENTION BREEDERS—Grain D'or, No. 12884, Bay Percheron, registered in P. S. A., owned by Spring Valley Horse Breeders' Association, is a beautiful dark bay, four years old. Will weigh 1800. Good style and action. All Percheron admirers should see this horse. This horse will make the season at \$26, at J. O. Peterson's barn. Every precaution will be taken to avoid accidents, but we will not be responsible should any occur. Particulars with many forfeits insurance. Spring Valley Horse Breeders' Association. May 26.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS.

FOR SALE—\$600.00 player piano, for quick sale. \$100.00. Good as new. Jesse Smith, upright piano, mahogany case; cost new, \$375.00, sale price, \$250.00, 10 per cent off for cash. Sutton Music Store, 50 E. Main St. 5-19.

FOR SALE—One dining table and chairs, kitchen table and chairs, 1 dresser and kitchen cabinet. 440 E. Market street. 5-19.

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AUTOMOBILES

FOR SALE—1917 enclosed Ford; practically new Ford touring car. Both in perfect condition. Must sell at once. Call Jamestown 209. 5-18.

FOR SALE—Light touring car, good running order. Belmont Garage, Belmont, O. 5-19.

FOR SALE—Republic truck, good as new; 3 beds. Will take Ford tourer or runabout as part payment. Call Bell phone 151-W. 5-17.

FOR SALE—D. E. Crow is offering for sale his 7-passenger Paige touring car. Call interurban station before 3 p.m. 5-19.

FOR SALE—1917 Maxwell roadster, newly painted and repaired; runs fine; good tires. Phone Bell 334-C, Citizens 11. 5-22.

BARGAINS IN USED CARS

1916 FORD repainted, good tires \$350.00
1916 STUDEBAKER FOUR touring, new tires, repainted \$495.00
17 Series STUDEBAKER FOUR touring, repainted \$595.00
1915 STUDEBAKER SIX, 5 passenger, repainted \$600.00

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Sensational prices on AJAX, FISK and GOODYEAR Casings.

SILVERTOWN CORD TIRES for FORD CARS will be in soon.

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Jamestown, Ohio.

Task for Mamma.

Ben was visiting his aunt, who so far forgot herself as to use a "swear word." The youngster was horrified, and upon arriving home he began to tell his grandfather about the occurrence. When he reached the place in his story where the "swear" had to be repeated he stopped and said appealingly: "Mother, won't you say it just once so grandpa can hear how awful Aunt Sue sounded?"

WANTED

FOR SALE—Seed corn. Early Yellow Dent and Leading. \$2 per bushel at crib, four miles west of Xenia. Dayton pike. Bell phone 4036-R3. Albert Ankney & Son. 5-18.

FOR SALE—Corn planter, in good condition. D. C. Bickett, Citizens phone, 2-806. 5-18.

WANTED TO RENT—Barn or shed. Bell phone 430-W. 5-19.

SITUATION WANTED

PAPER HANGING—Fine samples to select from cheap. Frank Hamilton Cit. phone 14-815 Wilberforce. 5-22.

WANTED—Light carpentering, repairing wooden articles, or general handy work performed. In or out of shop. Very reasonable price by hour. Call rear 29 W. Second, or Bell phone 786-W. 5-17.

FOR SALE—Garage, good location, doing good business. Call Belmont Garage, Belmont, O. 5-19.

FOR SALE—A sorghum mill to run by power. L. F. Crumley, R. F. D. No. 1. Bell phone. 5-23.

FOR SALE—Jersey sweet potato plants ready now. Geraniums, pansies, asters, salvias, all kinds of vegetable plants. Edward Nichols, Bell 4012-W-2. 5-23.

PORTO RICO and Nancy Hall potato plants, May and June deliveries \$2.00 per thousand. O. N. Dowd, Ty. Ty. Ga. 6-4.

OLD NEWSPAPERS—3 lbs. for 5¢, at Gazette office. 5-17.

FOR SALE—Large family Bible, handsomely bound. St. James edition. Contains revised version. Biblical history, references, etc. \$6 if sold at once. Call at Gazette office. 5-13.

FOR SALE—Or exchange for cow, horse, buggy, harness and wagon. Bell 253-W-1. 5-17.

FOR SALE—Horse, wt. about 1299, sound, good worker. Cit. phone, 86-R. 5-16.

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey male hog; Orr's Orian Chief, No. 99357, J. W. Peterson R. 6 or Citizens 818 5-17.

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FOR SALE—Thoroughbred single comb White Lechorn eggs for hatching; also baby chicks. Orders can now; Mrs. Russell Gram, Bell phone Clifton, 40-11. May 12.

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FOR SALE—Oak cook stove, good as new; 34 E. Market street. 5-17.

FOR SALE—Portable wardrobe. Call Bell 813-R. 5-17.

REAL ESTATE & loans: notes bought. John Harbine, Jr., Allen bldg., Xenia, 5-117.

FOR SALE—300 bushels of corn. Bell 4005-W. L. W. Ankney, Xenia, R. R. 10. 5-19.

WE ARE OFFERING for sale the 1/2 acre farm of the late H. H. Jobe, located on the Jamestown pike, 2½ miles from Xenia. One of the most beautiful country homes in Greene county. Absolutely modern, bath, furnace, electric lights; large bank, barn, garage, silo, new tenant house, and all necessary outbuildings, land level and under high state of cultivation. In addition there is a home available. Call or see Long & Marshall, Xenia, Ohio, exclusive agents. 5-17.

FARMS—165 acres, extra fine corn land, well improved, near Dayton car line. \$375.00. John Harbine, Allen bldg. 5-16.

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XENIA MARKETS

XENIA GRAIN AND PRODUCE

Wheat, per bushel \$2.50

Oats, per bu. 70¢

Corn, per bu. \$1.65@1.75

Rye, per bushel \$1.50

Mixed Timothy Hay \$30.00

Mixed Hay \$28.00

Straw \$1.00

Creamery Butter, wholesale 60¢

Creamery Butter, retail 65¢

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Oleomargin, wholesale 35¢

Eggs, wholesale 41¢

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Chickens, wholesale 25¢

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Corrected daily by Faustner & St. John,

HOGS

Choice heavies \$20.00

Heavy workers 19.50

Light workers 19.00

Good pigs 18.50

Choice fat sows 17.00

Common to fat sows \$15.00@16.00

Stags \$12.00

CATTLE

Good heifers \$7.00@7.50

Shipping steers \$9.00@10.00

Bologna cows \$4.50@5.00

Cows \$5.00@6.50

SHEEP AND LAMBS

Sheep \$6.00@8.00

Spring lambs \$15.00

TAKING ORDERS—Day old chicks, Rock and Reds. Pure bred stock, flocks, day-old chicks, farm range stock. Write or phone for prices. Leigh Bickett, Route 9, Xenia, Bell 430-2. Apri 30, 1919.

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FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Rock eggs for hatching from stock the win and weigh. Winners at Indiana fair, Columbus, Ohio, and Dayton, Ohio, pen and farm range stock. Write or phone for prices. Leigh Bickett, Route 9, Xenia, Bell 430-2. April 30, 1919.

LONG & MARSHALL—Real estate and loans. Will buy or sell your property or loan you money. It will pay you to see me. Office 19 South Detroit St. Gazette Building. Both phones. 6-1,17.

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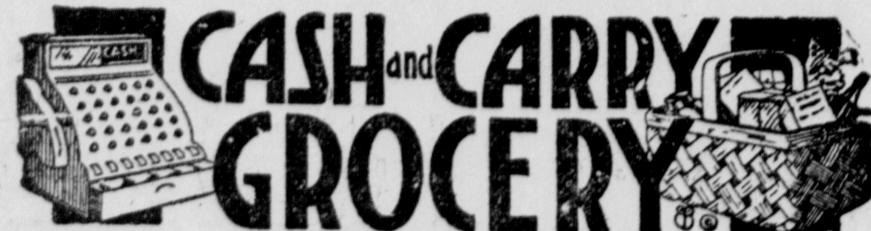
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Van Camp's hominy, can	13c	Lippincott's preserves, jar28c
Mountain brand apricots, can	29c	Van Camp's Tuna fish, can39c
Shredded wheat, 2 boxes	25c	Garden spinach, can17c
Sweet Brier brand corn, can	18c	Alaska pink salmon, can14c
Heinz's baked beans, can	19c	Strawberry beets, can17c
Heinz's India relish, bottle	15c	Eavay's cut beans, can16c
California red pimientos, can	23c	Argo corn starch, box9c
Franklin powdered sugar, lb.	14c	Pearled barley, box15c
Crisco, for frying and shortening, lb. can 31c		Duff's baking molasses, can19c
Heinz's pure olive oil, bottle	29c	Heinz's Worcestershire sauce, bottle29c
Green asparagus, can	17c	Kellogg's corn flakes, 2 boxes25c

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Fresh Strawberries, Lettuce, Onions, Celery, Radishes, Cucumbers and Asparagus.

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These LOW prices at either store, Xenia and Yellow Springs.

SURPRISE PARTY IS MUCH ENJOYED

On Wednesday evening, May 7, 1919, a most enjoyable evening was spent at the home of Albert and Mary Powers, son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Powers, west of Selma.

Albert and Mary were not at home, however, when the guests arrived, having gone to Cedarville, but the guests were surely present when Albert and Mary returned home. They were greatly surprised.

Dainty refreshments of ice cream and cake were served, the effect being carried out in pink and white, and the favors were pink and white sweet peas.

With melodious tones from the player piano, and the playing of games, the evening passed all too quickly, and about 11:30 all departed, having had a delightful time.

Those present were: Prof. W. B. Hayes and wife, Miss Carrie Rife, Pauline Thomas, Verna Verna Baggett, Lillian Beekman, Louie Chapman, Allene Norris, Ruth Levering, Margaret Levering, Olive Norris, Mary Taylor, Elizabeth Rumbaugh, Grace Powers, Pauline Powers and Mary Powers.

Messrs. Malcolm Elder, Edward Battin, Howard Arthur, Errett Kinison, Ralph Hewitt, Gerald Thompson, Robert McClellan, Albert Powers and Fred Powers.

Battery members were dined at the club at 7 o'clock and at 8 o'clock they gathered in the auditorium where they heard addresses by Mayor U. M. Switzer, J. T. Neilson, secretary of the reception committee and C. F. Kettering, of the Delco Company. Mr. Kettering's address was particularly interesting as he dealt with the subjects he is so much interested in, including aircraft work, wireless telegraphy, etc.

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Following the dinner and speaking dancing was enjoyed. The hostesses assisting in carrying out the arrangements were Mesdames J. E. Barlow, C. F. Kettering, J. T. Neilson, Phillip Parsons, J. R. Kline and H. E. Talbot.

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HIVLING STOKES IS GUEST AT BATTERY D. DINNER-DANCE

City Auditor Hivling Stokes, who was a member of Battery D, 134th Field Artillery, a unit composed mostly of Dayton boys, attended the dinner and dance tendered the Battery by the Mayor's Committee on Soldier Reception at the Engineers' Club in Dayton Thursday night.

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BELLEFONTAINE POLICE BELIEVE IN FORTUNE TELLER

Bellefontaine, "the little berg on Possum Run," became famous some years ago, when the fire department allowed its quarters to burn down over their heads, but the latest happening to put the safety department of Bellefontaine on the map, is a stunt pulled off by Chief of Police Lamborn.

Tuesday noon a farmer living 12 miles west of Bellefontaine, entered the office of Mayor Talbott and inquired where he could find the Urbana fortune teller. To say that the mayor was considerably surprised is to put it mildly. His first question was: "What do you want with a fortune teller?"

The question drew from the man, who gave his name as Theodore Wright, the following story: "Sunday morning while we were all at church some one entered our house and stole a considerable amount of jewelry and a little money. We have a good watch dog, but the thief drug the dog, so that he could go about his business of stealing unmolested. The thief left no clues and we have no idea who it might be. I reported the matter to Chief of Police Lamborn of Bellefontaine and he was just as much in the dark as I. He said that several times in the past,

EAST END NEWS

Mrs. Florence (Evans) Robinson was the recipient of a beautiful, large, cut glass flower basket at St. John's A. M. E. church choir rehearsal, Wednesday night. At the conclusion of the choir's weekly practice, Miss Hattie Hawkins, president of the choir, with a short and pleasant address, presented Mrs. Robinson with this handsome gift on behalf of the choir. Mrs. Robinson was completely surprised and responded with many expressions of love for her associates and thankfulness for the token of their respect and good wishes. She will leave for Columbus Saturday, where she expects to make her future home. Her husband, Mr. Charles Robinson, has a nice position there.

The club held its annual election of officers, and Mrs. David Kyle was elected president; Miss Anna Spencer, vice president; Mrs. Herbert Nash, secretary, and Mrs. Lee Nash, treasurer.

Miss Louise Bone, daughter of the hostess, pleased the club women very much with a vocal solo, and a flute solo. A refreshment course was served.

DAYTON MARKETS

GRAIN
The following prices are being paid by Dayton mills for grain:
Wheat—No. 1, \$2.65.
Corn—\$2.65 per cwt.
Oats—74c.
Rye, \$1.20 per bushel.

HOGS
Hogs—Receipts 3 cars; market 10 cents lower.
Choice heavies \$20.50@20.65
Select butchers and packers \$20.50@20.65
Heavy workers \$19.50@20.25
Light workers \$19.00@19.50
Pigs \$18.00@19.00
Choice fat sows \$18.50@19.50
Common to fair sows \$18.00@18.50
Stags \$13.00@14.50

CATTLE
Cattle—Receipts 8 cars; market lower.
Fair to good shippers \$13.50@14.50
Fair to medium butchers \$9.00@12.50
Good to choice butchers \$12.00@13.50
Good to choice heifers \$8.00@12.50
Fair to good heifers \$8.50@10.50
Choice to fat cows \$10.00@12.00
Bologna cows \$5.00@6.00
Butcher bulls \$10.00@12.00
Fair to good fat cows \$7.00@8.00
Bologna bulls \$8.00@10.00
Calves \$10.00@14.00
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts light. Lambs \$10.00@15.00
Sheep \$8.00@10.00

Cat a Model to Children.
In some of the little books which were published from 1800 to 1850, and a few of them even earlier, one finds the cat frequently set up as a model of good behavior, especially for little girls. She taught them by her example to wash their faces once a day, to look clean and neat, and when they walked out of doors never to step in the wet. One significant sentence reads: "It would be well for little girls to sit as still while they are learning their lessons."

Disliked Church Bells.

It is not everyone who regards the bells of London with affection. Keats expressed his dislike of the Sabbath bells in a sonnet, and there is a story of a man who was with difficulty dissuaded from becoming a Mohammedan in order to escape into a religion which was opposed to the ringing of church bells.

Shark-Food.
In Bermuda small ground sharks are used for food and much appreciated by all classes. The fish average from eight to ten pounds and sell for 12 cents each. In Honolulu the hammerhead shark is frequently seen in the markets and its flesh is considered very nourishing and is extensively salted.

he had known of cases such as this, where help had been obtained in the way of descriptions of the thief or thieves, from a fortune teller in Urbana and advised me to go to Urbana and consult this person. The chief thought I could get a description of the thief, so here I am, now where does this fortune teller live?" Of course these aren't the exact words of his statement, but it is the exact substance of same.

After some inquiry in the various offices of the city building the mayor learned that there is a fortune teller in Urbana and that she is considered pretty good at it too. Her name is Miss Merritt and she lives on Dewey avenue. Consequently, Wright was given directions to Dewey avenue and left to have his fortune told immediately.

Since the police have turned to fortune tellers to help them solve their mysteries, wonder why it would not be a good plan to have one regularly attached to the Bellefontaine police force?—Urbana Democrat.

HOME KILLED MEATS City Market Co.

MEATS AT LIVING PRICES

Fresh ground hamburger...28c
Fresh country sausage.....30c

Home made pudding.....15c
Fresh spare ribs.....25c

Fancy Boiling Beef
Very Best Beef Roasts
Very Best Steaks
Fancy Veal Steaks
Fancy Veal Roasts
Best Veal Chops

Head cheese and souce20c
Minced Ham30c

Rose Bud Hams38c
Smoked Callies30c

Fancy Pork Roasts
Little pig pork chops
Fancy boiling beef
Fancy Veal stew
Very best breakfast bacon
Spring Lamb

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The Tailored Suit is invaluable and its uses are many. They are all perfectly tailored, handsomely lined. The materials include Serges, Checks, Hair Line Stripes, Gabardines, Poiret Twill and Tricotine.

Values up to \$27.50 for	\$14.95
Values up to \$37.50 for	\$19.75
Values up to \$40.00 for	\$29.75
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MRS. SANFORD'S MESSAGE TO WORKING WOMEN

Columbus, May 16.—"Eight years ago I was suffering with pains and weakness caused by a female trouble. I had headaches, chills and fevers, and was unable to do my work part of the time. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me and I took twelve bottles of it, and my health has been good ever since. I am able to run the machine and do dress-

making besides my housework. You are at liberty to publish my letter if it will help some poor suffering woman."

—Mrs. J. C. SANFORD, 1237 Second Ave., Laurel, Miss.

Thousands of women drag along from day to day in just such a miserable condition as was Mrs. Sanford, or suffering from displacements, irregularities, inflammation, ulceration, backache, sideache, headache, nervousness, or "the blues."

Such women should profit by Mrs. Sanford's experience and try this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and find relief from their sufferings as she did.

For special suggestions in regard to your ailment write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of their long experience is at your service.



DONAHEY THINKS SENATE SHOULD RATIFY TREATY

Columbus, May 16.—"I believe the United States should ratify the treaty of peace, including the league of nations, as adopted at Versailles, State Auditor Donahey declares.

As a member of Ohio's last constitutional convention, the state auditor was an ardent supporter of the initiative and referendum.

"The treaty is the product of the greatest minds of the world," continued Donahey.

"I am always in favor of the referendum, and I believe the people should have the right to be heard on all important questions, and they will on the peace treaty if it is rejected by the U. S. senate."

Character Main Requisite.

The first requisite of success in business is character, a word which includes temperance, fairness, politeness, industry and as much intelligence as can be accumulated.—E. W. Howe.

IF MOTHERS ONLY KNEW

During these days how many children are complaining of headaches, feverishness, stomach troubles and irregular bowels. If mothers only knew what Mother Gray's Sweet Powders would do for their children no peddler would be needed. These powders are so easy and pleasant to take and so effective in their action that mothers who once use them always tell other mothers about them. Sold by druggists everywhere.

TEUTON EMISSARIES AT VERSAILLES.



Dr. Muller.

Prof. Schnecking.

Dr. Adolph Müller, Bavarian Minister at Berne, and Prof. Schnecking, both of whom are members of the German Peace Delegation at Versailles. Professor Schnecking is an authority on international law.

BOYS ARE CHARGED WITH AUTO STEALING

Paul Massie, 20, Floyd Massie, 15, and Harold Harris, 18, all of South Charleston, have been placed under arrest in that town for stealing from James Allison of South Charleston, a Ford touring car which was found on the Snow Hill Pike two miles west of this city, a few days ago, where it had been abandoned after running out of gasoline.

Harris is alleged to have confessed to the theft, and that he was the ring-leader of the gang of youthful thieves.—Washington Herald.

GAS MEN CONVENE IN THE SIXTH CITY

Depletion of Natural Gas Fields to Receive Immediate Attention.

Contemplated Move by West Virginia Menace to Every Natural Gas Community Field in Ohio.

Cleveland.—Particular interest attaches to the injunction secured by the attorney general of Ohio to restrain West Virginia from shutting off the natural gas supply of hundreds of cities and villages throughout the middle west.

West Virginia will undoubtedly claim that in the territory where natural gas is used, which was formerly supplied from territory contiguous to their own community that wastefulness in past years is the reason why Ohio and Pennsylvania wells are now depleted and why West Virginia is now called upon to fill the breach. They may even refer to the palmy days when Findlay, under the impression that natural gas was inexhaustible, not only offered to supply free fuel and light to manufacturing plants but on every street corner permitted huge gas torches to run day and night for street lighting purposes.

Important Convention.

To permit the state of West Virginia to do this thing would not only mean the making useless millions of dollars worth of gas mains and other material, but would force thousands of communities throughout the middle west to build plants for the manufacturing of gas. Ohio cities, in particular, have been expecting through their state legislature to get relief, and to add to the present burden of expense the building of new gas plants would be almost a crime. The convention of the National Gas Association of America to be held in Cleveland the 19th, 20th and 21st of the present month will undoubtedly be one of the most important ever held. These men who deal in gas have appreciated the gravity of the situation for some time past and have been preaching the necessity of throwing safeguards around our gas supply.

Unfortunately, the people have been taught to look askance at anything coming from a corporate source and are just now beginning to realize that the men identified with this movement have had the best interest of the people as well as themselves at heart in trying to bring home the gravity of the situation to the public.

People Will Watch Move.

A comparison between the cost of manufactured gas and the cost of artificial gas shows such a difference in favor of natural gas, that the eyes of every city throughout the gas belt will watch with considerable interest what move the gas men are going to take for the protection of the people who have granted them franchises and who are dependent upon them for a future gas supply.

Professor Bowecker of the geographical department of the state university has made a rather exhaustive study of the future of natural gas and will read one of the papers at this convention. Efforts to find out an advance opinion from the professor have been unavailing but it is anticipated that it will border on the sensational.

Prehistoric Almanac.

In the British museum there is to be seen an almanac which is 1,200 years older than the Christian era; it dates back to the reign of the Egyptian king, Rameses the Great.

Garrulous Husband.

"Don't expect a wife always to be the listener," advises Winifred Black. Certainly not. Wives have to sleep occasionally. The fact is, the law ought to punish those garrulous husbands who talk their wives to death.—Houston Post.

FOR---

Summer Wear

A "well dressed" foot should appear only with the very latest style.



Our Brown Kid Oxford, with a Louis Heel, or the Military Heel for street wear is fashions decree. This particular Oxford at \$5.45 and \$6.45

We have this Oxford in Black, also with Louis and Military Heels at \$5.45 and \$5.95

Pumps are again popular, especially our Black Kid and Patents with Louis Heels. Some even prefer a pump for street wear. See this particular model with a Military Heel at \$5.45

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75c Plain Shade Brocades	59c
59c Solid Colored Madras	49c
\$1.00 Heavy Cretonnes	79c
75c Cretonnes and Figured Repps	69c
59c Cretonnes and Cotton Velours	49c
50c Cretonnes	45c
65c Printed Marquises	59c
50c Bottle Ruby Gloss Furniture and Floor Polish	.43c
25c Bottles 22c or 2 for	.43c
\$1.25 Floor Mops	\$1.00
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EAST END NEWS

GARDENING.
I was not made to toil, it makes my blue blood boil, to have to spade the soil and plant the crimson beet; I do not care to work, much rather would I shirk, and at my duty smirk, than labor in the heat. The sweat pours from my bean, my eyes are seeing green, I'm working myself lean upon the brittle yard; my spa e is full of nicks, I've broken all my picks, I'm sure doomed for the Styx, I've cussed so hard. Each year I fret and fret, and make a daring bet, that next year I will get a spavined horse and plow; but when the spring rolls round, each evening I'll be found a-toiling on the ground, with hot and sweaty brow.

We wish to thank all who so kindly assisted us during the illness and at the death of our dear mother, Mrs. Martha Alexander. We are very grateful for the beautiful flowers sent by the Lincoln and East Main Street schools, and also by the Sophomore class.

Her Children.

Sunday, May 18th, 1919, at St. John's A. M. E. church, at 3 p. m., and Damon Lodge, No. 29, K. of P., and Unity Court, No. 12, I. O. O. F., will hold their 32nd annual thanksgiving services. A fine program has been arranged for the occasion, to which the public is extended a cordial invitation.

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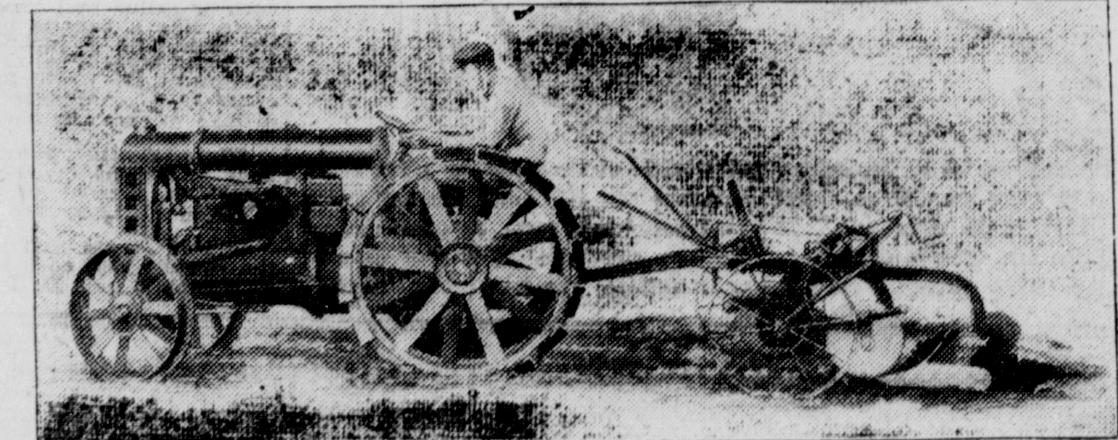
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ARVILLE HOLDEN straightened the limp bows of yellowed ribbon on the ancient white straw bonnet, took a last critical look at herself in the dim mirror, and stepped into the open window.

Swept hither and thither by the vagrant breeze, the music was coming nearer, until at last the sweet May air was vibrant with the triumphant melody. The high, clear notes almost drowned the noise of marching men, all as gray and wrinkled as the woman at the window. To her clouded mind they were still young and handsome, brave comrades of the lover, who, long years ago, had proudly marched away to war with them.

As the last stooped form disappeared in a cloud of dust, she took a scrap of paper from her bosom. It had been tossed over the fence by a grimy urchin early that morning,

"Miss Arville Holden," it read, "they ride to you when they see John Blake was killed, he warn an' his cum back, an' sed for me to be sure to let you no so's you could meet him in the seminary this mornin' by Dekun Hartwells grave. He wood of cum after you but he jest got acre an' his sum lain, dont dispair him."

"your fren, Billy Bowman."

As far back as her bewildered mind could call, someone had always been saying to her, "Arville, dear—I would not do that!" or "I wouldn't go there!"

She knew that Jane Bryant would say that now! But go she would. They should never keep her from meeting John!

Near the grassy slope where so many of her girlhood friends lay, she waited, longing yet half afraid to go nearer to the speaker's stand. The band softly played the opening strains of "Tenting To-night on the Old Camp Ground"—and when the last notes died away she slipped in among the trees behind a tall headstone. A man turned a white, frightened face toward her, and started at the sudden apparition. Arville uttered a low cry. For a breathless instant the two gazed at each other, then the woman, with a long, sobbing breath, threw out her shaking old hands.

"John! John!" she cried. "Don't you know me? Arville?"

The man strode forward, clasped the two trembling hands in his, and supporting the frail figure with a strong arm, said huskily, "Don't be frightened—did you think I was someone you knew?"

"Someone I knew?" plaintively.

"You're John. Say you're John!"

"Yes, I'm John!"

"But you're my John, John Blake!"

"Be quiet," the man said. Then shamed by the old woman's shrinking fear, he added gently, "Yes, I'm John Blake! But how did you find it out? Who could have told you? I thought—He looked about him furtively—"I thought no one here knew me."

"Shouldn't I know the man I promised to marry? You haven't changed a tired voice had stopped. John Blake

An Accusing Conscience

By Mary Louise Buzzell



"But you're MY John, John Blake!"

was dead, with the name of his boyhood's love on his lips. And his son, conscious of an unreasoning resentment against the unknown woman who had been first in his father's heart, had whispered his promise.

Could he keep his promise to his father? Back there in a southern city young John Blake had struck a man in the picture was once my sweetheart! Don't turn your head away. I loved your mother. Yes, I loved her, but Arville, little Arvil-la was—was—

the days passed happily.

It was as if her heart's desire granted

and the long waiting over, her gentle

would lend herself to no such deception. To be sure, after comparing the pictured face with his, she reluctantly admitted that he was John Blake's son. But even with this concession, it took all his eloquence to persuade her that it was not wrong to play upon Arville's credulity.

But if she, in her childish state, was ready to accept this sturdy man in the

place of the boyish lover who had

marched away to fight his country's battles so many years ago, Jane Bryant

spirit tarried only for a parting draught of the happiness so long denied. Since the excitement of our visit to the cemetery she seemed to be growing weaker, and as the surging waters crept nearer, as the brightness of the other shore lengthened longer with each setting sun, the iron of remorse struck deeper into the soul of young John Blake.

Then, while he waited in dull despair for the doom from which he could not escape, the end came.

It was a breathless night. Blake had just fallen into a fitful doze when a sharp rattling at his door, mingled with the frightened cries of Jane Bryant, awoke him.

"Hurry, hurry!" she cried. "She's going! Arville's going fast!"

Dressing hastily, he ran across the narrow entry to the room where Arville Holden lay with folded hands and placid face, her eyes calm and unafraid, fixed in a long farewell on the moonlit world without. She turned as he came in, and while he knelt by her bedside, she laid her thin hand with infinite tenderness on his bowed head.

"You've been a great comfort all these weeks, John, my own dear John!" Then, as if divining his misery, she added softly, "No—not my John, but his boy; my John's boy!"

"Thank God, she knew!"

They laid her to rest under the caressing branches of the pines she loved so well; and a few hours later John Blake's son, his mission ended, closed the door of the Holden house behind him.

As fast as his feet could carry him he was going back to his home in the south to face the consequences of his crime, for death would be a blessing compared with the torture inflicted by a never sleeping conscience! Pushing the gate open, he strode down the gravel walk, and found himself face to face with Samuel Branthwaite, the sheriff of his home town. For the fraction of a second young Blake leaned heavily against the gate; then with clenched teeth and nails cutting into his palms, he straightened himself in disgust at his own weakness, and without waiting for the officer to speak, began hotly:

"I know what brings you to Pineville, Branthwaite. But first, let me tell you that I never meant to kill Jim Brower!"

Sheriff Branthwaite's forehead wrinkled. He stared at Blake. The sense of what he had said dawned upon him.

"So-o!" he said slowly, "and you thought you'd killed old Jim Brower! Why, bless your soul, man, he's not dead! No, sir, you couldn't kill him with a club, let alone a fist! Dead, I reckon not! He's just as alive as ever, and ten times as angry!" He paused and

"Ten minutes passed before he came out of the house. His face wore a look of one who has witnessed the travail of an anguished soul pleading with its Maker.

Silently he motioned the waiting man

to go; silently the two fell into step, and shoulder to shoulder they walked down to the road, where their hands met in a wordless good-bye.

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FIRST ANNIVERSARY OF STARTING OF AIR MAIL SERVICE

Washington, May 16.—The first anniversary of the inauguration of the aerial mail service between Washington and New York was observed yesterday by many prominent government officials who gathered at College Park to witness the flight of the mail plane. Among them were Postmaster General Burleson and Major General Menoher, head of the department of military aeronautics.

The two planes that took the air one from Washington and the other from New York, were the same that carried the mail a year ago and have been constantly in the service.

One has been in the air 164 hours, flying 10,716 miles, and has carried 572,826 letters. It has cost in service \$65.80 per hour.

The other plane has been in the air 222 hours, flying 15,018 miles and has carried 485,120 letters. It has cost \$48.34 an hour. The record of the entire service between New York and Washington shows 92 per cent of the performance during the entire year, representing 128,037 miles traveled and 7,720,840 letters carried out. The revenue from airplane mail stamps amounted to \$159,700, and the cost of the service \$137,900.06.

The operation of the aeroplane service every day in the year except Sunday, encountering all sorts of weather conditions and meeting them successfully has demonstrated prac-

ability of employing the airplane for commercial service," said Postmaster General Burleson. "The air organization has been able to work out problems of value in the adaptation of machines to this character of service."

THIS IS FINE STORY EVEN IF IT ISN'T SO

A farmer near Milledgeville possesses a hen which early this spring persisted in laying two eggs every other day, and one egg the intervening day, or three eggs in two days.

A while back the hen decided to quit work and demonstrated her desire to set, so she was supplied with a setting of eggs, including one laid on the day between the two-egg days.

Monday the eggs hatched and the particular egg produced a chick with four distinct and well developed feet. The chick is still living.—Washington Herald.

HEINZ IS DEAD.

Pittsburgh, May 16.—Henry J. Heinz, 75, reputed to be the world's largest manufacturer of food products, and widely known philanthropist, is dead at his home here. He died after a brief illness of double lobar-pneumonia. Heinz was noted internationally for his religious activities.

Daily Thought.
There's place and means for every man alive.—Shakespeare.

JAMESTOWN

Mrs. Will Zeiner is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. George Baldwin and family in Xenia.

Mrs. C. H. Jenkins and daughter, Miss Mary, and Mrs. W. F. Harper were mid-week Dayton visitors.

Mr. J. E. Erwin went to Dayton on Wednesday to drive home his automobile.

Mrs. Marietta Oxley was a shopper in Xenia this week.

Mrs. Jet Glass is spending a few days in Dayton with her daughters, Mrs. Lewis Wilshire, whose husband has been very seriously ill from the results of influenza, which he had some three months ago.

Miss Mae Harper's pupils gave a very interesting entertainment on Wednesday afternoon.

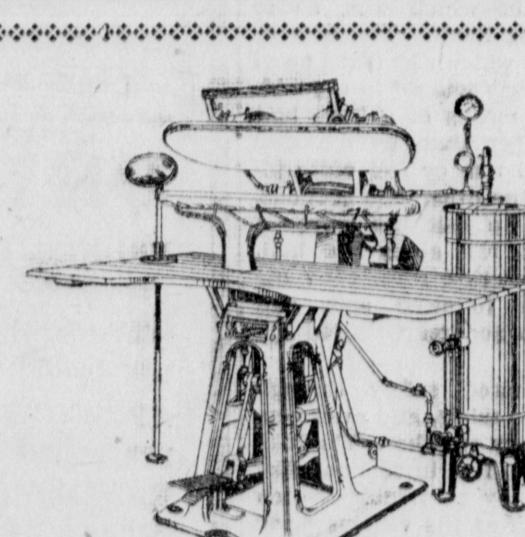
Mrs. Charles McDill and Mrs. W. D. Paullin were shopping in Xenia, the first of the week.

Mrs. Nettie Myers has been confined to her room for several days by illness.

On Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Carl Robinson most delightfully entertained the Loyal Women's and Loyal Men's class of the Bible School of the Church of Christ, which was their monthly meeting. After the routine of business was disposed of, the election of officers was held: President, Guy Patton; vice president, Mrs. Carl Robinson; secretary, Mrs. Willis Glass; assistant secretary, Carl Robinson; treasurer, Edward Leach. Mr. Charles Leach is the efficient teacher of the class, who in behalf of the church and school presented Mrs. Carl Robinson—Mae Bryan—with a handsome cut glass water set, as an appreciation of her faithfulness to her class and church duties. She returned her thanks in a gracious manner. The hostess served delicious refreshments, assisted by her little sister, Donna Pauline Bryan. About 40 were present at the meeting.

The Bunglers Way.

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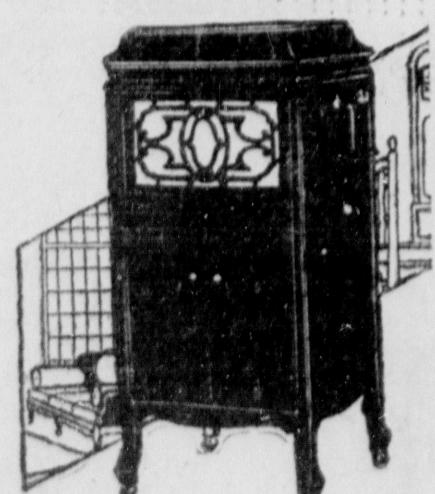


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PENNSY SUPPLY TRAIN MAKES FIRST TRIP OVER DIVISION

The Pennsylvania Railroad supply train, accompanied by supply officials is making its first trip over the South Western Division of the Pennsylvania Lines for the purpose of delivering supplies and taking up surplus material, and stopped in Xenia Wednesday all day and night leaving here for Columbus Thursday morning.

The train is in charge of D. A. Sauer, material inspector from the office of the general storekeeper in Pittsburgh and other officials accompanying the train are, Mr. Fleischauer, assistant Division Engineer, Howard Norris of Xyla, and P. J. Brady, of Cincinnati, and Harper Kepler, Xenia Storekeeper, and A. D. Cristie Cincinnati storekeeper. The oil car is carried with this train with other supplies.

The train route is as follows: Bradford, Ohio, Chicago, Illinois, Logansport, Ind., Cincinnati, Richmond Division to Xenia, Columbus, Indianapolis, Louisville, Richmond and back to Columbus via Xenia.

WORK OF SCHOOL CHILDREN EXHIBITED

An interesting exhibition of the work of the manual training departments of Xenia City Schools is being shown in the windows of the Adair furniture store.

Every piece of furniture in the store windows has been made by one of the lads in the manual training classes either at Central, McKinley or Lincoln schools and the character of the work shows the ability that some of these lads possess. Library tables stand lamps, foot stools, desks, hat racks, book cases, book holders, candle sticks, nut bowls, and in fact everything that could be turned out of wood has been done with remarkable skill and precision, and the articles have been finished nicely. It is interesting to note with what skill the lathe was used in turning out the curved surfaces of some of these articles.

The display of work of the children is an interesting example of the sort of practical education being given the Xenia school students and speaks well for the manual-training departments of the local school system.

Strike Balked Legislators.

A strike once brought a legislature to a standstill, no less than the house of representatives at Washington. The officers of the house had notified the stenographers that their pay would be cut ten cents a folio, and the short-hand writers immediately struck, forcing a suspension of the sitting until matters were amicably arranged.

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Miss Albertine Marlowe.

Six American show girls have been chosen to go to England and featured in a monster revue known as "American beauties." One of the six is Albertine Marlowe, known on the stage as "Babe."

HOW FEBRUARY WAS NAMED

Month Known to the Romans as a Period of Religious Expiation and Purification.

February was one of the two months (January being the other) introduced into the Roman calendar by Numa Pompilius, when he extended the year into 12 of these periods. Its name arose from the practice of religious expiation and purification which took place among the Romans at the beginning of this month, and comes from februa, to expiate or to purify. Among our Saxon ancestors the month got the name of Sproutkale on account of the sprouting of cabbage at this ungenial season. The name of Sol-monat was afterward conferred on it in consequence of the return of the sun from the low course in the heavens, which it had been running, starting on the first day of the month.

The following day, or February 2, has from a date unknown in the Christian history been held as a festival of the purification of the Virgin, carrying out the pagan idea of cleansing, according to some writers, but the idea is at least open to doubt, as its popular name, even in the early church, is Candlemas, from the practice of carrying lighted candles in procession in memory of Simeon's words at the presentation of the infant Jesus, "To be a light to lighten the Gentiles." The Christmas decorations are taken down on this day in the churches.

STRANGEST OF SHIP FREAKS

British Inventor Must at Least Be Credited With the Possession of Much Imagination.

Since that memorable day long ago when our rude forefathers first ventured afloat in their dugout canoes many very curious ships have been built. Perhaps the most extraordinary of all these freaks was the steamer Connector, which was launched in British waters in 1863.

The Connector was built in three sections, each of which was, so to speak, a ship of itself. The bow or forward section, which was fitted up in the usual way, was jointed to the midship section by means of a huge bolt in such a manner that, as the ship pitched, it could rise or fall quite independently of the other two sections. Thus, as the ship met the waves a kind of wriggle ran along the hull. First the bow section rose, then the midship section followed suit, and finally the stern section wriggled upward.

The craft passed safely through some very severe trials, and even ventured out in heavy weather. The idea was to build up ships in sections like trains, so that any particular section could be dropped at the various ports of call.

Place of Fat Men in History.

Fat and fame have not very often been combined, perhaps because stout men are generally inclined to be easy going, and therefore lacking in that push which brings a man to the fore, says London Answers. The only great statesman one can recall who was really fat was Charles James Fox, as can be seen even by his effigy in the palace of Westminster, where he would make three of his great rival Pitt, the younger.

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If corks are porous or you wish to prevent them taking the odor from the contents of the bottle, dip them in hot melted paraffin wax and insert in bottle at once. It also seals it airtight if not touched again.

BROTHER OF OSCAR WERBER IS BACK FROM SIBERIA

Oscar Werber, manager of the Xenia Fertilizer Company of this city has just returned from Chicago where he motored to meet his brother-in-law Lieutenant Martin Ebnor, who has just returned from Siberia. Joseph Ebnor, a brother of the Lieutenant accompanied him and the party motored back to Springfield which is the home of the officer.

Lieutenant Ebnor enjoys the distinction of being the only soldier from this section who was in Siberia. When the Siberian outfit was made up, an officer from each state was selected to go with it and Lieutenant Ebnor was selected to represent Ohio.

He had many interesting experiences while in Siberia and on his return came around by way of Japan to San Francisco and then across country home. Pictures of the young man appear in the Springfield papers.

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